## Executive Froclamation State of South Dakota

## Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Zoella "Zoe" Nelson was born and raised in South Dakota and is loved and respected by family, friends, and co-workers alike; and,

WHEREAS, Zoe has been a dedicated employee of the South Dakota State Library for more than fourteen years and has, in the course of her duties at the South Dakota State Library, been the "voice" of the Reference Services to virtually every library in South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Zoe has received in excess of seventy thousand telephone requests, and has received, sorted and routed over four hundred and twenty-five thousand written requests for information from South Dakotans; and,

WHEREAS, Zoe has countless times found the poem, song, or quote that the patron needed based on the fewest possible words; and,

WHEREAS, Zoe has been the watchdog of the coffee shop, her constant vigilence insuring that the staff had its coffee hot and on time; and,

WHEREAS, Zoe has been a South Dakota State Employee who can be counted on "to be loyal to a trust, to act promptly, to concentrate her energies"-- a South Dakota State Employee who can "carry A Message to Garcia"; and,

WHEREAS, November 30, 1984, marks the retirement of Zoe from South Dakota State Government, an event worthy of public recognition in the State of South Dakota, and it is fitting and proper that the Governor make note of this special occasion, and extend to Zoe, on behalf of all citizens of South Dakota, sincere thanks and appreciation for a job well done:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Saturday December 1, 1984, as

## ZOELLA "ZOE" NELSON DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with her many friends and relatives in wishing her a day filled with joy and friendship. May the years ahead bring Zoe an abundance of good health and happiness.

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WILLIAM J. JAMKLOW, GOVERNOR

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Eighth Day of November, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STAVE

WILLIAM J. JAMALOW, GOVERNO